

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**SB 614 – HB 711**

February 12, 2019

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the Department of Health (DOH) to study the feasibility of requiring emergency rooms to report data on incidences of persons presenting at emergency rooms with surgical complications within 30 days of an invasive surgical procedure performed at a non-hospital facility. Requires the DOH to develop recommendations for an administrative procedure by which emergency rooms can report such data. Requires the DOH, no later than January 1, 2020, to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Chief Clerk of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumption:

- The DOH will conduct the required study and develop recommendations utilizing existing resources without a significant increase in Department expenditures.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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